



## **PATENT APPLICATION**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Chikaho IKEDA Group Art Unit: 2828

Application No.: 10/090,146 Examiner: D. FLORES RUIZ

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For: APPARATUS FOR DRIVING LIGHT EMITTING ELEMENT AND SYSTEM FOR

DRIVING LIGHT EMITTING ELEMENT

## **SUPPLEMENTAL REMARKS**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the January 10, 2006 Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.111, and the January 25, 2006 personal interview, Applicant provides the following supplemental remarks.

During the personal interview, an issue arose as to the relationship between the error amplifying section and the detection section, as claimed in claim 30. This relationship is discussed below.

The claimed detection section and error amplifying section are disclosed as being separate elements. Specifically, the claimed detection section corresponds to the power detecting circuit 24, and the claimed error amplifying section corresponds to the amplifier 231, which compares voltage corresponding to the detection result of the power